

It's better to be criticised for doing something than nothing.

The woman who when a girl used to make the beds of a morning now has a daughter who makes excuses of a morning—for not getting up.

A man is not necessarily virtuous because he's silent. "Still waters run deep," but mud collects at the bottom of them.

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U. S. FARMERS LEAD THE WORLD IN PRODUCTION

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The American farmer leads the world in individual production of crops, Secretary Houston of the department of agriculture asserted today in his annual report. While countries such as Belgium, under intensive farming, get a higher acreage yield, he said, taking both acreage and yield per acre into account, the American agriculturist produces two and a half times as much as his Belgian and German rivals, 2.3 times as much as the British farmer, 3.2 times as much as the French, and more than six times as much as the Italian.

The result of this and of the American farmer's war work is shown in the 1919 American crop production, placed at three times greater in value than the average annual output during the five-year period preceding the European war. The aggregate value of all crops this year is placed at \$15,872,000,000 as compared to \$14,227,000,000 in 1918 and an average of \$5,829,000,000 during the five-year period.

Large stock on farms this year was figured at \$2,820,000,000 as against \$2,814,000,000 in 1918.

"The farmers of the nation in 1919 planted an acreage in leading crops greater by 23,000,000 than the pre-war average which, it is estimated, will yield 625,000,000 more than the pre-war average," Mr. Houston said. "They increased the number of milk cows from 1914 by 2,500,000, of other cattle by 7,500,000, an increase of 12 percent over 1918. There was actually planted 48,281,000, the largest acreage in the nation's history—4,800,000 acres more than in 1918."

A physician friend gives the information in confidence that one-fourth of the women who come to him for medicine really need work.

Pride goeth before a fall," but if you didn't have any pride you wouldn't fall.

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SILVER STOCKS SELL TOO LOW SAYS A TRADER

"One of the mysteries of the stock market, has been the peculiarly singular action of the silver stocks, notwithstanding the fact that week after week, new high record prices for the metal are being created," is the way Charles A. Stoneham & Co., sum up the silver situation. Continuing their circular reads: "In fact, so steady and persistent has been this increase in price for silver that economists are viewing with alarm the fact that an increase of a cent or two more will mean that silver in the fractional coins, half-dollars, quarters and dimes, will be worth more than the face value of the coin, with the resultant danger of a wide-spread accumulation for the purpose of melting down the coins for the silver content. Already the point has been passed where the metal contained in the silver dollar is worth more than its face value. There is no need to feel alarmed about the situation in this country, as remedial steps will be taken of course, to restrict this procedure and the fact that the government has a sufficient reserve of silver dollars to carry this out, makes it certain that there will be no repetition of the situation which has arisen in France, where silver coins have almost entirely disappeared from circulation."

"Of more vital importance to those interested in the markets, however, is the fact that notwithstanding the enormous appreciation in the value of the white metal that has occurred during the past few years, the silver-mining stocks are practically selling at the same levels that they were a few years ago when silver was selling anywhere from 50c to 70c an ounce. It is true that restrictions imposed by war necessity, labor strikes, difficulty in securing adequate supplies, and inefficient work have forces hampered production and curtailed output materially and caused subsequent increase in production costs. But one by one these unsatisfactory elements have been practically removed and today the silver mines, especially those that have been in business for many years, find themselves with substantial treasury surplus, an increasing supply of efficient workmen and a market price for their commodity that has appreciated over 100 percent in less than two years. Is it not therefore a remarkable state of affairs that the silver issues have not experienced a tremendous boom?"

"Of course it is only a question of time when a realization of the true situation will dawn upon the investing public and then the silver issues will once again enjoy the popularity that has attracted such a tremendous following to the silver and other mining issues. While there is every reason to believe that the meritorious oil stocks and the shares representing industrial enterprises, either of great future promise or satisfactory past performance, will continue to be public favorites and return to those interested satisfactory dividend disbursements and market profits, it cannot be gainsaid that in the mining issues today, there is every evidence that judicious investment should return profits of a most unusual character. In other words, mining today, comparatively neglected, with stocks in many cases dragging along at the bottom mark for years, will undoubtedly, in one of those cycles of speculation that occur every so often, attract a following that could easily develop into one of the biggest mining booms we have ever witnessed."

"Indeed, notwithstanding the transient clouds that appear on the face of the financial horizon and which, incidentally, just as quickly disappear, there has seldom been a more propitious time for investments and seldom have there been opportunities for so great a reward to those who base their stock market commitments on the country's natural resources. No better illustration of this can be given than the remarkable growth of the oil industry and the fortunes that have followed intelligent speculation."

"Mining has had its day in the past and notwithstanding its apparent inactivity at this writing, there is every reason to believe that in the near future there will be a renaissance of popular interest in the mining issues which should shortly develop into a tremendous cycle of both speculative and productive activity. In this, undoubtedly, the silver stocks will lead the way—and, judging from experience of the past, it is beyond question that the entire mining list will benefit. Those who take advantage of today's conditions and prepare for the big days that will come in the mining industry, will naturally benefit to the greatest degree."

FUNERAL THIS AFTERNOON

FROM CATHOLIC CHURCH

William J. McCafferty of San Francisco, arrived this morning to make arrangements for the burial of his brother who contracted pneumonia while working in the borax mine at Death Valley and died in Tonopah. The funeral was held this afternoon at 3:30 from the Catholic church where Father Noonan officiated and followed by interment in the local cemetery.

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NOTICE OF HEARING OF SETTLEMENT OF FINAL ACCOUNT AND HEARING OF PETITION FOR DISTRIBUTION.

In the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of Nevada, in and for the County of Nye, In the Matter of the Estate of Frank Lambert, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Henry Hinkel Jr., Administrator of the Estate of Frank Lambert, Deceased, has rendered and presented for settlement and filed in the above entitled court his first and final account of his administration, and has also filed in said court his petition for distribution of said estate; and that Tuesday, the 9th day of December, 1919, at 2 o'clock P. M. of that day in the courtroom of the above entitled court at the courthouse in the Town of Tonopah, County of Nye, State of Nevada, has been fixed by said court for the settlement of the First and Final Account of the Administrator of said estate and the hearing of the petition for distribution of said estate at which time and place any person interested in said estate may appear and file his exceptions to said First and Final Account and show cause why same should not be granted.

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TAMPICO WELLS ARE EXHAUSTED

(Correspondence of Associated Press)

TAMPICO, Nov. 26.—It is announced that some of the oil wells in the gulf region of Tepic, in which are located some of the biggest producing wells in the republic, appear to be exhausted and are now flowing salt water instead of petroleum. Production in this region has totaled more than 100,000,000 barrels annually. Geologists who recently surveyed the region declared that they have been advised to drill farther south. The first big well in Tepic was discovered nine years ago and development has been rapid since.

A lazy man thinks the whole world is lazy—and he's nearly right.

Anybody can strike but few can get away with it.

Better be a cheap wit than a cheap grocer.

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It was not feasible to mine this coal through the prospect shaft, and in consideration of the improvement in the quality as depths were attained, engineers recommended a new shaft, which has been sunk to a depth of 540 feet. A contract has been let to Fall & Mulloy to sink an additional 80 feet, which, according to surveys, would bring the shaft about 30 feet below the big vein.

The contractors are working on the contract now, which calls for its completion within 60 days. The Company is equipped with hoist, compressor, pumps and all accessories needed for mining. This Company has a property which bids fair to be able to supply Southern Nevada with fuel in the near future. A limited amount of Treasury Stock is offered for sale at

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